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For: NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCING PROCESSES
USING MODIFIED NUCLEOTIDES OR NUCLEO-
TIDE ANALOGS, AND OTHER PROCESSES FOR
NUCLEIC ACID DETECTION AND CHROMO-
SOMAL CHARACTERIZATION USING SUCH
MODIFIED NUCLEOTIDES OR NUCLEOTIDE
ANALOGS

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
(TO THE MAY 25, 2005 OFFICE ACTION)**

Sir:

This paper (Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116) is in response to the Office Action mailed on May 25, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the May 25, 2005 Office Action is originally due by August 25, 2005. Accordingly, this paper (Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116) is being timely filed, and no extension request or fee is due or required.

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